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Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Bernward SCHÖLKENS et al.)

Application No.: 09/645,556)

Filed: August 25, 2000)

Group Art Unit: 1617

Examiner: M. Bahar

For: PHARMACEUTICAL FORMULATIONS AND USE THEREOF IN THE
PREVENTION OF STROKE, DIABETES AND/OR CONGESTIVE HEART
FAILURE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

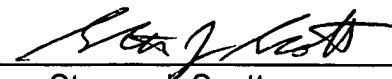
Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the
Office Action of July 29, 2002. A fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge
any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

FINNEGAN, HENDERSON, FARABOW,
GARRETT & DUNNER, L.L.P.

Dated: January 27, 2003

By: 
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